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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1782.

To be SOLD by Public VENDUE,

By the subscriber, on THURSDAY, the 14th of February next, at One o'clock, P. M. on the premises,

TWO valuable tracts or lots of Land, part of that highly improved estate, commonly called *Græme Park*, situate in Horsham township, in the county of Philadelphia, and about 19 miles from the city; one of said lots containing 193 acres and 60 perches of excellent land, about 54 acres whereof is timber land, the remainder cleared upland and meadow: There are on said premises a good orchard, and a beautiful stream of water issuing out of said lot, supplied by never-failing springs, sufficient to water a large quantity of meadow: And the other of said lots containing 160 acres of good land, about 75 acres whereof is good timber land, the remainder cleared upland and meadow; there are several springs on said lot, and a large stream of water, being a branch of Neshaminy, running through the same, which affords a large proportion of meadow on said lot. The said two lots of land may suit any gentleman that would incline to purchase the whole, as they are only separated by a great road running between them, which may be seen by a plan thereof at the Coffee-House, in Philadelphia. An indisputable title will be given to the purchaser or purchasers of said premises, upon the payment of one half of the purchase money down, and the remainder will be made in easy payments, on giving good security and paying interest. Any person desirous of further information respecting the premises, may apply to ELIAS BOUDENOT, Esq; Mr. GEORGE MEADE, Merchant, or Doctor FREDERICK PHILE, in Philadelphia; or to the subscriber, near the premises.

ELIZABETH FERGUSON.

N. B. If the day of sale should prove to be rainy, it will be postponed to the Saturday following.

Lower Merion, January 28, 1782.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On the 28th of February next,

A SMALL TRACT of LAND, in Merion aforesaid, containing 50 acres of land, being part of the estate of the late Edward Roberts, deceased, whereon Ambrose Emery now dwelleth; said 50 acres will be so laid off as to take in part of the meadow now made, and more may be made, and the whole watered by a constant stream running through said tract, where there is a good conveniency for a tan-yard, &c. sufficient proportion of well timbered woodland, all the buildings, with part of the orchard (in which are several pear trees of the best kind of fruit) will be laid off with the said premises; the situation is high and healthy, convenient to sundry places of worship and several grist-mills, 10 miles from Philadelphia, and one from the Lancaster road. Any person inclining to view the premises before the day of sale, by applying to the subscribers, living near the same, will be shewn the tract. The conditions of sale will be made known at the vendue, and attendance given, by

OWEN ROBERTS, and
JOHN ROBERTS, } Executors.

N. B. The sale to begin at one o'clock. ¶

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On Monday, the 11th of March next, on the premises,

A VERY valuable PLANTATION, in the township of Byberry, and county of Philadelphia, 13 miles and a half from the city, containing 112 acres; there are about 20 acres of woodland well timbered, and near the same quantity of excellent good meadow, through which there runs a beautiful never-failing stream of water; the plough-land lies level, and very convenient for working, is clear of trash, has had a large quantity of lime lately put on it, and is in every respect in good order; the fields are properly divided, under good fences, and all watered. This land has the character, in its neighbourhood, with respect to the natural goodness of the soil, of being equal for grain or pasture to any land in the county. There are on said place a good brick dwelling-house, two stories high, and four good chambers above, a large kitchen, a good dry cellar, a new frame wash-house over an excellent well of water, a smoke-house above, and a good room adjoining it, an indifferent house over a never-failing spring before the door, a large barn, garner, stables for horses and cows, a waggon-house, a good new poultry-house, &c. an old orchard, of good fruit, and a small young one of grafted ditto, of the best kinds. The situation of this place is very convenient, and sufficiently retired to make it agreeable, being about two miles from Bristol road, and the same distance from the road leading from Philadelphia to Newtown, about two miles and a half from an excellent landing on Delaware. The roads about it, and to the city, are very pleasant and level. In short, it possesses every advantage that any person could wish to derive from a good neighbourhood. A view of the premises will give a proper idea of its value, and the most substantial recommendation that can be had. Any person in this city that would desire to inform themselves respecting the above plantation, may apply to Mr. ABEL JAMES. The conditions will be made known by the subscriber. The sale to begin at ten o'clock. ENOCH EDWARDS.

N. B. If the weather should be very unfavourable, the sale will be postponed until the next fair day. ¶

Office of Finance,

JANUARY 29, 1782.

PROPOSALS will be received in this Office until Saturday the 16th of February next, for supplying by contract, to SAMUEL MILES, Esquire, Deputy Quarter-Master-General in this city, Fifty-five HORSES, fit for mounting Dragoons. Such Horses to be free from blemish and warranted sound, not under 15 hands high, nor under 5 nor above 9 years of age. The Horses to be delivered on the first day of April next, and then to be inspected by such persons as shall be agreed on and named in the contract. The proposals to contain the lowest price and longest terms of payments.

TO be sold by public vendue, on the 25th of February instant, a valuable PLANTATION, on Durham road, in Plumsted township, Bucks county, containing 70 acres, 20 whereof is woodland, ten acres of meadow, a good bearing orchard, with a variety of grafted fruit, also peach and cherry-trees; a two story stone house, with two rooms on a floor, and a large stone shoemaker and currier's shop adjoining; a well of never-failing water near the door, with a pump in it; a tan-yard with 20 vatts, and a pump in it, also a spring near it, with other appurtenances. Likewise 100 acres, chiefly woodland, with a log dwelling-house, by the said road, a mile from the above premises, which will be sold in lots of 20 or 30 acres each. Conditions to be made known at the time of sale.

¶ BENJAMIN FELL.

Easton, January 24, 1782.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of George Taylor, Esq; late of Easton, deceased, are once more requested to make immediate payment to the subscribers; and all those who have any demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their accounts by the first of March next, properly attested, in order that they may be adjusted for payment.

ROBERT LEVERS,
ROBERT L. HOOPER, junr. } execut
ROBERT TRAIL,

To be SOLD by WILLIAM RICHARDS,

in Market-street, at the SPREAD-EAGLE, near the Court-House, Philadelphia,

A general Assortment of

DRUGS & MEDICINES,

Among which are,

CALOMEL, Camphor, Opium, Magnesia, Liquorice, Jallap, Ipecacuana, Tartar-Emetic, Rhubarb, Cream of Tartar, Flour of Sulphur, Senna, Manna, &c. &c.

PATENT MEDICINES,

Bateman's Drops, Turlington's and Paulliana's American Balsam, Daffy's Elixir, British Oil, James's Fever Powders, Hill's Elixir Bardana and Balsam of Honey, Anderson's, Hooper's and Lockyer's Pills, Godfrey's Cordial, genuine Hærlem Oil, lately imported from Holland, &c. also the very best Velvet Corks, and fresh American Flour of Mustard. ¶ 8 w.

To be SOLD by Private SALE,

(But if not Sold before the 10th of March next, then to be Lett) and may be entered on the 25th of March,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, situate in London Britain township, Chester county, near the Plantation where the Hon. John Evans, Esq; resides; containing upwards of 220 acres, near one half whereof is well timbered woodland, the remainder cleared and under good fence, upwards of 12 acres excellent meadow, watered by a never failing stream running through the land, which will admit the making of more meadow at a small expence; there are two log tenements, barn and stabling on the premises; the situation is convenient for bringing the produce to market, being about 9 miles from Christiana-bridge, 10 miles from Newport, and 15 from Wilmington, and in the neighbourhood of several good grist mills. The present tenant John Hahn, will shew the premises to any person applying to him.

Also Twelve acres and a half excellent UPLAND, lately cleared and under good cedar post and rail fence, situate about three miles and a half from Philadelphia, on the road leading to George Gray's ferry, adjoining land of Samuel Rhoads, Esquire.

If any person is desirous of purchasing, the owner will take Specie, State Money, Merchandize or Country Produce in payment, and the first mentioned premises will be sold with or without a considerable stock.

For further particulars, enquire of WILLIAM SHEAFF, at the corner of Market and Fifth-streets, Philadelphia.

N. B. Said WILLIAM SHEAFF also has to dispose of, at his Store, by wholesale and retail, Old Madeira, Lisbon and Sherry Wines, Jamaica Spirits, West-India Rum, Coniac Brandy, Cherry Brandy and Rum, Loaf and Muscovado Sugars, Clover and Timothy Seeds, and a few Casks of Tanners and Lamp Oil. ¶

CAME to the place of the subscriber, living in Blockley township, on the 11th of January last, a red COW, about 7 years old, is with calf, and marked W T on one horn. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away. WILLIAM BISPHAM, near the Middle-ferry, on Schuylkill. ¶

To be SOLD at private Sale,

THE noted covering Horse YOUNG BELSIZE, 9 years old, a beautiful dapple grey, full 16 hands high, has good courage and a lofty carriage, is good for either saddle or gears, and allowed by good judges to be superior in figure and strength to any half blooded horse in the province; it is needless to give a long preamble of his pedigree, as the horse will fully recommend himself to any spectator. Any person inclining to purchase said horse, may know the terms, by applying to the subscriber, living in East-Whiteland township, Chester county, near the Valley Church. ¶ JESSE REESE.

N. B. If said horse is not sold, he will be rented to a trusty person this ensuing season, for covering of mares.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, in Chester county, part in Whiteland, and part in Charlestown townships, containing 417 acres, 300 of which are cleared, about 20 acres of meadow, and more may be made, the remainder woodland; there are on the premises two tenements, one a good two story stone house, spring-house, barn and out-houses; the other a log house, barn and out-houses; there is a great plenty of lime stone and a lime kiln on said premises, two miles from the White-Horse, on Lancaster road, and 24 miles from Philadelphia. Enquire of HUGH FRAIZER, in Market-street, Philadelphia, next door but one to the Friend's Meeting-house.

N. B. Said Fraizer desires all indebted to him to pay in two months, or they may expect to be sued without respect to persons. ¶ *Feb.* 6, 1782.

Annapolis, January 27, 1782.

GEORGE MANN begs Leave to inform the Public, and particularly those Gentlemen who have favoured him with their custom, that he is about to remove from the house he now occupies on the Dock in this city, to the INDIAN KING, in Church-street, lately kept by Mr. M'Haid. He solicits a continuance of his customers, and assures the public that he will endeavour to deserve their favour. ¶ 4 w.

One Hundred Dollars, Specie, Reward.

RAN from Elk-Forge, near the Head of Elk, the 23d of April, 1781, Negroe DICK; about 28 years old, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, thin visage, hollow ey'd, straight bodied, speaks pretty quick and a little stammering: Had a variety of good clothes with him, and plenty of money; was bro't up to farming, is a very good ax-man, and handy at most kinds of country work. About 6 years ago was brought from the branches of Nanticoke river, in Suffex county, where he had been brought up, and it is supposed he is now hovering between the bays of Delaware and Chesapeak.

Also ran from the same place, the beginning of Sept. 1777, and joined the British then at Head of Elk, another Negroe named DICK; near 6 feet high, a straight well proportioned fellow, not very black, about 30 years old, apt to smile when speaking, was brought up in Pencader Hundred, New Castle county, to farming and driving team, at which he is expert, as well as drinking strong liquor.—'Tis thought he is now hovering about Philadelphia, or in the Jersies. Any person securing the above described fellows, or either of them, in any goal, and will give notice to the subscriber, at said forge, so that he may recover him or them, shall have FIFTY DOLLARS for each, and if brought home, reasonable charges.

¶ 6 w. THOMAS MAY.

N. B. If they return of their own accord, this offence shall be forgiven. *January* 23, 1782.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, and Rebecca his wife, by their own contract and agreement, made a division of their goods on the sixth day of November last; and it was also agreed, that each pay their own debts before marriage, and for ever after; on which she moved her share away, and we have lived separate ever since. These are to certify, that ¶ will pay no debts of her contracting.

February 5, 1782. ¶ EDWARD DAVIS.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

RAN AWAY on Saturday evening, the 19th instant, a stout, likely Negroe MAN, named TOB, about 35 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high; had on a sailors jacket, and short waistcoat of grey coaring, with a great coat of the same, a pair of new buckskin breeches; he took with him a short sustian coat, several shirts, &c. He went off with a young Mulattoe Fellow, of nearly the same size. Whoever will secure said Negroe in any goal, and give notice to the subscriber, shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges, ¶ JOHN LARDNER.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forbid carrying off the said Negro. And an additional Reward of FIVE POUNDS will be given for information who has secreted him.

Philadelphia Jan. 21, 1782.

Newmanster, Cæcil county, Maryland, Jan. 18, 1782.

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber, a white MARE, about 14 hands high, supposed to be 14 or 15 years old, has the pole evil, branded E W on the top of her rump. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away.

JOHN M'COY, living near Langwell's tavern. ¶

LONDON.

October 18. A cabinet council was held yesterday on the late diſpatches from Sir Samuel Hood; but we are given to underſtand that it is not, *even yet*, meant to abandon the American war.

It is difficult to determine, whether the conduct of the preſent Miniſtry is moſt deſerving ridicule or contempt. Any other men would ſend out fleets that might have, at leaſt, a chance of beating the enemy; but under the preſent *naval* ſyſtem, our fleets are not meant to act where the enemy are. Hence, Darby leaves the Channel the moment the combined fleet enters it.—Admiral Graves proceeds to New-York, becauſe the French have been ſo *impolite* as to block up the Cheſapeake.—And Commodore Johnſtone, forſooth, returns home, merely becauſe the enemy got to the Cape of Good Hope *before him!*

Advices are received at Paris from the Eaſt-Indies, by the way of Martinico.—The return of M. Dorves to the Iſle of France is confirmed. That event is attributed to the difficulty of procuring himſelf proviſions and ammunition, after having beat about the coaſts upwards of three months. The letters received by that channel contain an anecdote unknown in Europe; which is, that the Engliſh having ſet a price upon the head of Hyder Ally, that furious Prince had immediately ordered the right hands of all the Engliſh priſoners in his power to be cut off.

The Terrible man of war, deſtroyed in America, was a new ſhip, built only about ſeven years ago; the firſt time of her going to ſea was in Admiral Keppel's fleet, at the firſt commencement of hoſtilities with France.

The Terrible is the eighth ſhip of the line loſt to the Britiſh navy ſince the commencement of the war; one only has fallen into the hands of the enemy, the Ardent, of 64 guns, taken by the combined fleet off Plymouth the year before laſt.

Oct. 20. Yeſterday at noon his Majeſty came from Windſor to St. James's, when there was a levee, at which were preſent the Earl of Talbot, Lords Liſburne, North, Germaine and Amherſt; ſeveral naval and military officers. The levee was over at two o'clock.

Lords North, Germaine and Amhurſt had each conferences with his Majeſty after the levee was over, when his Majeſty ſet out for Windſor.

Yeſterday Lord Germaine laid before his Majeſty ſome expreſſes received from America.

Oct. 22. The laſt week has made a wonderful alteration in the *tone* of government. Before that *untoward* period, nothing but the utter deſtruction of the Carolinas was talked of by the Miniſtry and their creatures; but ſince the French have blocked up the Cheſapeake, and landed 8000 troops, they can condeſcend to think it very well if Lord Cornwallis ſhould be lucky enough to effect his eſcape back to New-York.

Though it may poſſibly ſeem otherwiſe to *ſuperficial* obſervers, there certainly is ſomething extremely judicious in the Miniſter's ſuffering the public money to be *ſwallowed up* by a few commiſſaries and contractors, as upon an emergency the Miniſter will know *where* to look for reſources, as ſuch a thing may be brought into Parliament as a bill to oblige theſe vultures to *diſgorge*, who have preyed ſo voluptuouſly upon our vitals.

By private letters from Madras, the late troubles occaſioned by Hyder Ally have proved very ruinous to the private fortunes of the principal members of the Preſidency, who had been obliged to advance amazing ſums for paying the army employed for their protection, without any terms being ſtipulated. Governor W--------ll, lately returned from Fort George, is ſaid to have advanced to the amount of 300,000 l. on that account.

Oct. 25. Orders are ſent to Corke to make freſh contracts for live cattle, for a large fleet that will have occaſion to touch there about Chriſtmas.

The manufacturers at Mancheſter are almoſt ready for an inſurrection, through a want of employment, on account of the ſcarcity of cotton. They are only reſtrained by the hopes of the Jamaica fleet, and if it ſhould not arrive ſafe, the apprehenſions of famine will probably drive them to outrage.

The important diſpatches that are hourly expected to arrive from Lord Cornwallis will, no doubt, enable Government to form a deciſive opinion as to the probability or improbability of recovering our Colonies in America: They will at leaſt learn what are the conſequences to be expected from the junction of the French and American forces.

The following is a liſt of ſhips intended to reinforce the fleet in the Weſt-Indies, which will abſolutely ſail from Spithead the latter end of next month, viz.

	Guns.		Guns.
Fame	74	Anſon	64
Warrior	74	Agamemnon	64
Sceptre	64	Prothee	64

Orders are given for the three regiments of foot guards to be compleated to their full complement of men, previous to a draught being made to compleat the brigade of guards in America.

We hear that in the courſe of a very few weeks a formidable naval and military armament will ſail from Breſt, for the Weſt-Indies, under the command of Monſieur le Chevalier Laurence.

Lord Dunmore took a great quantity of plate, and ſome very elegant carriages with him, on his embarkation for his government of Virginia.

It was reported, on Tueſday night, that government had received advices by way of France, by a ſhip arrived at Nantz from America, that, excluſive of the troops landed at the Cheſapeake by M. De Graſſe, M. De Barras embarked in his ſquadron between 2 and 3000 men from Rhode-Iſland, part of the Count De Rochambeau's army, for the ſame purpoſe. The account of an engagement having happened was not known when the ſhip ſailed; yet, as the French fleet, after the action, moored in the Cheſapeake, and M. de Barras of courſe landed his men, the ſituation of Lord Cornwallis and the Britiſh army muſt be very far from ſafe. Greene, Wayne and Stevens, on one ſide, with the American army, and the Marquis de la Fayette, with between 5 and 6000 French, on the other.

A letter from Dublin, dated October 18, ſays, "An advice received here yeſterday from Lancaſter contains ſuch diſagreeable intelligence, as we flatter ourſelves, will, in a few poſts, be contradicted: The account is, that a veſſel was arrived from St. Auguſtine, in Eaſt-Florida, which had narrowly eſcaped falling into the hands of the Spaniards, who, on the 18th of Auguſt laſt, had inveſted the capital of Eaſt-Florida, with a fleet of 11 ſail of men of war, and 50 tranſports, having on board 4000 land forces; an armament which puts the capture of the town beyond a doubt, there being but 250 Britiſh regulars to defend the place. This compleats the conqueſt of the two Floridas; an object which Spain has had in view ever ſince their ceſſion at the laſt peace."

It was the wiſe maxim of Mr. Pitt, never to wink at the hoſtile actions of our affected friends, and real enemies; but to ſtrike the firſt blow of open war, rather than to riſque the dangers of clandeſtine malice.—For theſe ſentiments he left the reins of government, and we too ſoon perceived the loſs of him who had conducted a glorious war, by the contraſt of thoſe who concluded the laſt ignominious peace.—The Swedes are now waging hoſtilities againſt us in ſuch a manner, as can ſcarcely any longer be called clandeſtine, and though their neutral maſque is attended with double injury, our Miniſters are afraid to open their eyes on thoſe tranſactions.

What an intolerable inſult to be tamely borne by the Britiſh flag, blocking up a large Dutch fleet in the Texel, to ſee a ſingle Swediſh ſhip of 74 guns, purchaſed for the audacious purpoſe, quietly convoy the Dutch fleet under protection of its flag, and proudly bid defiance to ten Engliſh ſail of the line to touch the prey they had been ſo long watching in vain.---This tale is ſo unuſually ignominious, that it may ſeem the extravagance of fiction, but we again pledge our utmoſt credit to the public for the ſtrict truth of it.---What madneſs is it thus to reſign our ancient honor and intereſt, while, through an inhuman revenge, we are fighting for a ſhadow in a diſtant world!

Though the Miniſter has delayed the meeting of Parliament till a very late period, in hopes of a more propitious moment than the preſent, the appearance of things, in the political hemiſphere, forebodes nothing but misfortune and diſtreſs, infinitely ſuperior either to the defeat of Admiral Graves, or the diſappointment of Commodore Johnſtone.

If the heart of the Miniſter is not wholly callous to all feelings, it cannot but fail him on the meeting of Parliament, if it is only on account of the reproaches he muſt expect from thoſe country members, whoſe votes he has, year after year, ſo compleatly *ſwindled*, under pretence that the war would terminate in the conqueſt of America, and conſequently produce a revenue that would enable Government to make a conſiderable reduction in the land tax.

The appearance of the great and good ally, triumphant on their coaſts, and prepared to aſſiſt them with a numerous body of troops, will inſpire the Americans with the moſt animated renovation of their ſpirits. The decided friends of freedom will glow with a redoubled ardour, the timid waverers will declare in favour of the common cauſe, and the diſſembling loyaliſts will become ſudden converts to patriotic virtue,

Unleſs ſomething very much in the ſhape of a *miracle* ſhould happen in favour of Lord Cornwallis, he muſt be inevitably cut off by the French and American troops in the Carolinas.

The reſignation of Lord North may very ſoon be expected. His Lordſhip has frequently declared in Parliament, that he never would retire *till he had brought us through*; and he has only juſt to wait the capture of Lord Cornwallis and Sir Henry Clinton, and *we ſhall then have nothing to fear*, as it is the only thing now left us to be *uneaſy* about.

Several letters from Holland by the laſt mail mention, that the States were deliberating on what terms of peace they ſhould propoſe to Great-Britain; a large majority of the Dutch being greatly diſſatisfied with the preſent war, which, if not ſpeedily put a ſtop to, an inſurrection among the people was much dreaded.

There are two very intereſting objects of which it is hoped government have not been unmindful. The firſt is the relief of Minorca, which ſix ſhips of the line would effect; while the grand fleet cruiſes off Cadiz, to the Gut of Gibraltar, to watch the arrival of the rich Spaniſh convoy expected from South-America.

We may continue to conquer wherever our troops advance in America, but it is impoſſible for us to ſubdue an unwilling people in ſo extenſive a continent. The forts which we take to-day, we are obliged to abandon to-morrow, becauſe no numbers of men, no wealth, can ever be ſupplied, ſufficient to maintain our acquiſitions. The manœuvres of Lord Cornwallis backwards and forwards through the Carolinas, may afford him an opportunity to ſhew his valour, but the inevitable conſequences to be experienced by this country, are only the depoſit of our beſt troops in a foreign grave, and the diſtribution of our ſolid wealth amidſt a people that give us no other return than revenge.

The French fleet, it is ſaid, was ſeverely mauled in the late action. They cannot be well repaired in the Cheſapeake, as there are no docks there; on the other hand, the Britiſh fleet will be completely refitted at New-York, ſo that after the junction with Digby, it is expected we will be able to meet the enemy with advantage.

Lord Cornwallis was, by the laſt accounts, in a very critical ſituation, his ſupplies, both by ſea and land, being cut off. It was, however, expected he would be able to hold out till relieved by the Britiſh fleet.

A letter from Toulon to a French merchant in this city, has the following article: "We have juſt received advice here from Cadiz, that two Spaniſh tranſports, laden with large cannon and ammunition for their army at Mahon, are both taken by the Moors, and carried into a Barbary port. This is a great loſs to the Spaniards, becauſe they were particularly ſent for by the Duc de Crillon, the cannon he had with him not being large enough for the work he had to do; beſides, they are all fallen into the hands of a worſe enemy than the Engliſh are; for it ſeems, by the behaviour of the Moors, that they are in the intereſt of England."

Oct. 27. The Morning Poſt of Tueſday mentions, that, "as the New-England provinces were principally ſupplied with proviſions from St. Euſtatia (not raiſing any quantity themſelves) by the capture of the ſaid iſland of St. Euſtatia, the New-England provinces will be obliged to return to their allegiance, to avoid *ſtaving*. [The writer of the above paragraph is very ſenſible and *well informed!* but he did not tell the *whole truth*; he ſhould have added, that as the ſaid New-England colonies uſed to be ſupplied with *freſh water* from the iſlands of St. Kitt's and Antigua, and with *firewood* from Ireland, if the Britiſh navy would keep a good look out and prevent thoſe ſupplies from Ireland and the Weſt Indies, the ſaid New-England colonies muſt ſoon be at "unconditional ſubmiſſion to that country," for want of wood and water, as well as for want of proviſions.

Lord North's illneſs has terminated in a complaint called the quartan ague; which is likely to detain him from the Houſe of Commons, and delay the miniſterial operations. His Lordſhip's perſonal complaint has given the reſt a political ague.

It is wonderful indeed, ſays a correſpondent, that a man of Lord Shelburne's good ſenſe and acquired knowledge ſhould think, as he does, that by a change of Miniſters, and a fair diſcuſſion of the matter, the Americans might yet be brought back to a conſtitutional *ſubordination* to this country! As well might his Lordſhip think and aſſert, that the *Goodwin Sands* might be recovered to the Britiſh dominions, and again become fine fruitful fields and paſtures to the deſcendants of Earl Goodwin, if any ſuch be living. No, to all human appearance, the Britiſh ſovereignty over thoſe colonies is loſt and gone forever; and if we do not take great care their commerce and friendſhip, as allies, may alſo become irrecoverable! at leaſt, for ſuch a term of years as they in their neceſſity may be obliged to transfer that commerce and friendſhip to thoſe who now lend them a protecting hand. So circumſtanced, would it not be found policy in Britain, ſeeing that the colonies are to be independent of all other powers, particularly of a rival power? What advantage would Britain derive (except the mean and unmanly pleaſure of *revenge*) from thoſe United States becoming ſubjects to the French Monarch, or from their being any way hobbled or involved by their new allies? Not any: on the contrary, their additional ſtrength might enable the Bourbons to effect what, thank God, they have hitherto not been able to do. To riſque *dying in the laſt ditch!* ought, nationally ſpeaking, to be well conſidered. Theſe are times when *wiſdom* as well as humanity loudly declares, that "*half a loaf is better than no bread.*"

To think of our being as great and reſpectable as we have heretofore been, would be as abſurd as for Lord Mansfield to think of repaſſing *the rubicon!* But ſunk and depreciated as we now are, ſtill it is very *poſſible* to be much worſe, and very *probable*, if we adhere to the ſame ſyſtem that hath brought us thus low.

CHATHAM, *February* 6,

On Tueſday, the 29th ult. James Morgan was executed at Weſtfield, purſuant to his ſentence, for the wilful murder of the Rev. James Caldwell. A ſermon upon the occaſion was preached by the Rev. Jonathan Elmer, from Jer. xliv. 4. "*Oh! do not this abominable thing that I hate.*"

We hear a packet arrived at New-York on Monday laſt, but as our informer left the city the ſame day, we do not learn any thing particular by her.

The Sound being froze, has put it in the power of thoſe nocturnal depredators, the refugees, to make incurſions on our defenceleſs frontiers; and, on Friday night, a party of them from Staten-Iſland came to Elizabeth-Town and plundered ſeveral of the inhabitants; but ſhould their temerity prompt them to return again, we truſt they will not get off with impunity.

On Friday night a party of refugees, conſiſting of blacks and whites, having formed a plan to intercept the people of this ſide as they paſſed into the meadows for ſalt hay, came over and concealed themſelves in a ſwamp, and had made upwards of a dozen people, with their horſes and ſleds, priſoners, when the alarm being given, they were purſued ſo cloſe that two of their party fell into our hands, together with all they had previouſly captured.

TRENTON, *February* 6

On the 19th ult. arrived in Tom's-River, the ſchooner Dart privateer, from Salem in New-England, Captain William Gray, and brought in with him a prize ſloop, taken from the Black Jack, a galley belonging to New-York; and the next day his boat, with ſeven men, went in purſuit of a brig which was near the bar, but neither boat nor men have ſince been heard of.

PHILADELPHIA, *February* 13.

The Honourable Thomas M'Kean, Philemon Dickenſon, Cæſar Rodney, and Samuel Wharton, Eſquires, are appointed to repreſent the State of Delaware in the Congreſs of the United States, for the enſuing year.

Laſt Sunday morning a melancholly accident happened in the river, oppoſite this city. A ferry-boat croſſing on the ice, the people in attempting to launch her into an air-hole, unfortunately overſet her, by which Mrs. Little, wife of Mr. Little, near Cooper's Ferry, and four other perſons were drowned; the boat and bodies of the ſufferers drove under the ice, ſo that neither of them have been yet found. It is ſaid this accident, ſo truly calamitous to the families of the deceaſed, was owing, in ſome meaſure, to a want of care and attention in the paſſengers.

The POST-OFFICE

Is removed to Mrs. BUDDEN's, in Front-ſtreet, a few Doors to the Southward of the Coffee-Houſe.

Meſſieurs HALL and SELLERS.

AS in times like theſe, neither ſhining abilities nor conſpicuous merit can ſecure the poſſeſſor from the ſhafts of malevolence, it is not to be wondered that General Mifflin's tried and faithful ſervices to his country have not exempted him from the ſecret attacks of party writers. It being a duty that every man owes to the cauſe of virtue, to repel an injury offered to the Character of thoſe who have diſtinguiſhed themſelves by their talents and patriotic exertions in junctures of danger, you are requeſted, for the ſake of thoſe who may be ignorant, to inſert in your paper the following brief relation of ſervices rendered by General Mifflin to the ſafety and freedom of America, which merit a place in the annals of this country.

A PENNSYLVANIAN.

GLOWING with the love of civil liberty, Gen. Mifflin was undoubtedly the firſt man in this State who appeared in arms, and by his example kindled that flame of military enthuſiaſm, which, like electricity, immediately ſeized the inhabitants of this city in the beginning of the year 1775, and ſoon blazed forth throughout this and the neighbouring ſtates with unquenchable ardor.

He was one of the few, who met and drew up that ſpirited aſſociation, by which the ſons of freedom pledged themſelves, under the ſacred ties of honour, to ſtand by each other in ſupport of the violated rights of America, at the hazard of life and fortune.

By the force of his eloquence, at the town meetings, he rouſed the lukewarm, inflamed the brave, and animated the virtuous, more than any other ſpeaker, to thoſe acts and reſolves, which laid the foundation of the Revolution and Freedom of Pennſylvania.

Poſſeſſing the confidence of his fellow citizens, he was, at this important æra, choſen a member of Congreſs, in which he was remarkable for his ability, firmneſs and deciſion, in all the important points of national liberty.

On the appointment of General Waſhington to the ſupreme command of the army, he immediately left his ſeat in Congreſs, that he might ſhare, as a volunteer under his Excellency, in the perils of the field, whilſt as yet America had none but raw and unexperienced militia to oppoſe to the veteran troops of Britain, inured to conqueſt.

His ability ſoon paved the way to his being choſen Quarter-Maſter-General of the army, which great and extenſive department he quickly moulded into an exact ſyſtem, and conducted with no leſs advantage to the public cauſe, than honour to himſelf.

Whilſt General Waſhington, amidſt the ſeverities

winter, inveſted the town of Boſton, defended by an army of Britiſh regulars, with a body of undiſciplined forces, by the amazing activity of General Mifflin, in building barracks and erecting magazines for their comfort and accommodation, towns grew up, as if it were by enchantment, ſo rapid was their growth, on every ſurrounding hill, by which they were enabled to overlook and bridle the operations of the enemy.

At a critical period, whilſt the American and Britiſh commanders appeared equally ſenſible of the importance, and concerned to ſecure the heights of Dorcheſter, the one as the means to reduce, and the other to defend the town, America was greatly indebted to the vigilance and induſtry of General Mifflin, in the execution of the plans concerted by General Waſhington and the Council of War, of which he had the honour to be an active member; and in collecting ſeveral hundred waggons, at a ſhort warning, as well as furniſhing the materials on the ſpot for forming a covered way, and providing the means of offence and defence at ſeizing on that important poſt, the poſſeſſion of which, as it commanded the harbour and town of Boſton, ſoon compelled the enemy to quit them both.

In the enſuing campaign, as a reward of his merit, he was honoured with a Brigadier General's command, in which he acquired the confidence of the ſoldiery and the eſteem of the officers.

In that year the enemy's army, aſſiſted by a powerful fleet, were ſo ſuperior to all the force of America, in numbers and diſcipline, as to enable them, in quick ſucceſſion, to capture Long-Iſland, New-York, and over-run the Jerſies, and to throw every department of the American army into the greateſt confuſion, and in particular that of the Quarter-Maſter General, on which every other eſſentially depended.

At this alarming juncture, Congreſs had recourſe again to the experienced abilities of Gen. Mifflin, as the only means of reinſtating the diſjointed affairs of that department, and reducing them to order and regularity. Nor, when the ſafety of his country required, did he heſitate a moment to ſacrifice his paſſionate deſire of military action to their wiſhes.

A new and peculiar kind of duty ſucceeded, in which he was formed to render the moſt important ſervice to America, when on the brink of ruin. At this dangerous period, whilſt Gen. Howe had marched to Trenton, and Gen. Waſhington with a handful of brave men checked his progreſs at the Delaware, and ſhortly gave that glorious turn to affairs, which eſtabliſhed the ſafety of America ever after, Gen. Mifflin, with a celerity and zeal becoming the important criſis, was employed in raiſing and inſpiring the militia to march to his defence. The fate of the war hung on the iſſue. A taſk like this required the talents of a Mifflin, and ſuch important ſervices were thereby rendered to the General, the army, and this country, as will be remembered to his honour, when the names of the cavillers and enemies to his merit will be loſt in oblivion.

" the more they do expoſe his virtue,
" Like pureſt linen laid in open air,
" 'Twill bleach the more, and whiten to the view."

*** *The ſale of a houſe and lot in Sixth-ſtreet, late the eſtate of Thomas Bourne, deceaſed, will be held this day at the Coffee-houſe, at twelve o'clock.*

Office of Finance,

Philadelphia, February 1, 1782.

PROPOSALS will be received in this Office until the firſt day of April inclufive, for a contract to ſupply the rations deliverable to the moving army by the United States, from the firſt day of May to the laſt day of December inclufive, to the eaſtward of Delaware river.

The contractors are to iſſue the rations, and the propoſals are to contain the loweſt prices and the longeſt terms of payment, as alſo the price of the component parts, which are—

One pound beef or three quarters pound pork,
One pound bread,
One gill rum or wiſkey,
One quart ſalt and two quarts vinegar for 100 rations,
Eight pounds ſoap and three pounds of candles for 700 rations.

The propoſals will alſo contain the prices at which the following articles of hoſpital ſtores will be delivered—

One gill Weſt-India rum,
One gill Madeira wine,
One gill Port wine,
One gill vinegar,
One pound Muſcovado ſugar,
One pound bohea tea,
One pound coffee,
One pound hard ſoap,
One pound tallow candles,
One pint Indian or oat meal.

The ſeveral places for collecting the magazines, as well as the quantities to be collected will, from time to time, be pointed out by the Commander in Chief, or Commander of the Department.

Any proviſions or ſtores which may be deſtroyed or loſt in the magazines by the events of war, to be paid for by the United States, according to terms to be ſettled for that purpoſe in the contract.

The neceſſary removal of proviſions or ſtores from ſuch magazines, to be alſo made at the expence of the United States, but to be performed by the contractors.

[*All the Printers in the United States are requeſted to publiſh this advertiſement.*]

DANIEL DARBY,

Has for Sale, at his Houſe in Walnut-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets,

A few groce of Watch Chryſtals,

Which he will ſell at a very low rate, for ready Caſh.

Feb. 7, 1782. ‡

FOR SALE,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in the townſhip of Abington, and county of Philadelphia, on the Oxford road, 12 miles from the city, bounded by lands of Robert Fletcher, Lewis Roberts and others, containing 189 acres; on which there are a ſtone dwelling-houſe, barn and ſpring-houſe, a young bearing orchard, chiefly grafted fruit; the greater part of the upland lately limed, a ſufficient quantity of meadow, plenty of timber and water, having a ſpring in each field, a pump by the door; the whole under good fence. The terms of ſale may be known by applying to SAMUEL SIMPSON, near the corner of Front and Race ſtreets, or SAMUEL SIMPSON, jun. on the premiſes. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION of 117 acres of Land, in Little Coneſtogoe, or the Welch Valley, in Caernarvon townſhip, Lancaſter county. This tract of land is of a good quality, 60 acres are cleared, 8 of which are good meadow, the reſidue is well timbered with black oak, &c. It lays contiguous to an extenſive range of ſeveral thouſand acres on the Welch Mountain; a ſtream of water runs through the land, by which all the fields have a ſhare of the ſame; it has a ſtone houſe, log barn, and a young thriving orchard of 150 apple-trees. For terms of ſale enquire of the ſubſcriber, on the premiſes.

† t. f. JOHN MORGAN.

Caernarvon, February 4, 1782.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On the firſt day of March next.

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Montgomery townſhip, Philadelphia county, three miles from the Spring-houſe tavern, and 21 from Philadelphia, formerly the eſtate of Joſeph Naylor, deceaſed; containing about 200 acres. On the premiſes are two dwelling-houſes, the one is part ſtone and part frame, with five rooms on a floor, a well of good water, with a pump in it, at the door, a ſtone ſpring-houſe, on a good ſpring, a log barn, with ſtables at each end, and other large out houſes; the other a log houſe, with a good ſpring by it; two large bearing orchards of good fruit, one near each houſe, about 12 acres of meadow, part may be watered and more made, ſufficiency of timber on ſaid premiſes: It may be divided or ſold together, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. The terms will be made known at the place of ſale or before, by applying to JOSEPH NAYLOR or JOHN TRUMP, living in Upper-Dublin townſhip, county aforeſaid.

N. B. There is a free ſchool about one mile and an half from ſaid premiſes, that is to be free for ever for the uſe of ſaid townſhip only. ¶ *February 11, 1782.*

TO BE SOLD,

THREE 20 feet LOTS in front, and in length about 68 feet, ſituated on the north ſide of Gilbert's or Elfreth's-alley, which extends from Second to Front-ſtreet, between Arch and Race-ſtreets. On one of the lots is a good two ſtory brick kitchen. Any perſon deſirous to purchaſe, may know the terms of Mr. PETER DEHAVEN, in Fourth-ſtreet, near the College. ‡

To be SOLD, by the Subſcriber,

Living in Middletown townſhip, Cheſter county,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION,

in the townſhip of Fallowfield, containing 150 acres and upwards, part whereof cleared, of which there is about 6 acres of meadow, and a large quantity more may be made, and well watered; the wood-land well timbered. For further information enquire of the Subſcriber.

WILLIAM PENNELL.

Second Month 6th, 1782. ‡

To be ſold at public vendue, on the premiſes, the 14th day of March next, between the hours of ten and three o'clock, unleſs ſooner diſpoſed of at private ſale,

A valuable Tract of LAND,

CONTAINING about 226 acres, ſituated on Bohemia Manor, in Cecil county, Maryland, being a moiety of that tract of land, late the property of Col. Peter Bayard, deceaſed; diſtant from Cecil Court-houſe five miles, one mile from Bohemia church, and the ſame diſtance from a landing. About one half of ſaid plantation is cleared, and the other half excellently well timbered, and ſome part may, with little expence, be made good meadow. No part of it is now in grain. The premiſes will be immediately delivered up to the purchaſer, with an indiſputable title. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to Mr. AUGUSTIN BOYER, at the Head of Bohemia, or to Col. JOHN BAYARD, in Philadelphia.

Murder and Robbery,

COMMITTED in the night between the 3d and 4th of January laſt, on the body and property of SUSANNAH DAVIES, of the townſhip of Eaſt Bradford, in Cheſter county, by a certain GEORGE HOLT, late from Yorkſhire, in England: He is about 35 years of age, ſpeaks much in the Yorkſhire dialect, is a weaver by trade, about 5 feet 10 inches high, with hollow eyes, and a ſcar on his left cheek, ſwarthy complexion, with brown hair, tied behind: Had on, an old ſurtout coat, a coatee of mixed colours, old leather breeches, and ſquare copper buckles in his ſhoes, but may change his cloaths It is ſuppoſed he went to Philadelphia on his way to New-York. Whoever takes up the ſaid Gorge Holt, and ſecures him in any goal on the Continent, ſo that he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have the reward of TEN POUNDS Specie, paid by JOSEPH DAVIES, of Vincent townſhip, Cheſter county. ¶ *February 9, 1782.*

A LIST of ſtray Horſes and Mares,

In the hands of the RANGERS of Bedford county, viz.

ONE iron grey mare, about 11 years old, 13 hands high, branded on the off thigh T E, trots all.

A black horſe, about 14 hands high, nine years old, trots all, a little hip-ſhot, and ſome white on his noſe.

A dark bay mare, about nine years old, 12 hands high, trots all, no brand to be ſeen.

An iron grey, three years old, trots all, no brand.

A ſmall black mare, ſix years old, a ſmall ſtar in her face, trots and paces, a little cat-hammed.

A black horſe, about 16 years old, branded E, trots all.

A bay horſe, wall eyed, trots all, about 17 years old, branded P. R.

A bright bay mare, three years old, about 13 hands high, trots all.

A dark bay mare, three years old, two white feet, and a blaze in her face.

A bay mare, about ſix years old, and about 14 hands high, ſome white hairs in her face, trots all.

A grey mare, five years old, paces all, no brand to be ſeen.

A black horſe, about 13 hands high, branded on the near ſhoulder IM in one, and on the buttock M, about eight years old, has ſome ſaddle-marks.

A black mare, about nine years old, and about thirteen hands high, has ſome ſaddle-marks.

The owner or owners of the above deſcribed horſes and mares are hereby required to come, prove property, pay charges and take them away, otherwiſe they will be ſold as the law directs.

¶ 4 w. GEORGE WOODS,
Feb. 17, 1782. ABRAHAM CABLE, } Rangers.

February 9, 1782.

SOUTHWARK AUCTION.

On THURSDAY next, the 14th inſtant, at nine o'clock in the morning,

WILL BEGIN THE SALE

Of the GOODS ſaved from the wreck of the brig Polly, Captain Cain, from France, lately ſtranded near the Capes of Virginia,

CONSISTING OF,

ROYAL Laval Linens; | Kentings;
Pontivy ditto, | Handkerchiefs;
Nonbatties; | Dark Ground Chintzes and
Brittagnes; | Calicoes;
Sheetings; | Modes and Sarſenets;
Cambricks; | Carpeting; and
Lawns; | A Variety of Woollens.

Alſo an ASSORTMENT of

MERCHANDIZE,

As uſual.

WILLIAM BROWN, Auctioneer.

JOHN KEAN,

At the SPINNING-WHEEL, at the corner of Market and Third ſtreets, has juſt opened,

An additional ASSORTMENT of

CLOTHS, | Sattins,
Linens, | Stuffs,
Checks, | Blanketing,
Calicoes, | A few of the moſt elegant
Chintzes, | Tambour'd Jacket Patterns;
Mantuas, |

With numberleſs other Articles; all which he will ſell, Wholeſale and Retail, on the very loweſt Terms, for Bank Notes, Specie Bills of Exchange, Pennſylvania or Jerſey State Money.

NOTICE is hereby given to all thoſe indebted by bill, bond, note of hand or otherwiſe, to the eſtate of JESSE WILLIAMSON, late of the Northern Liberties, in the county of Philadelphia, deceaſed, they are requeſted to make ſpeedy payment; and all thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring or ſend in their accounts properly proved, within the limitted time of three months from the date hereof, in order that a dividend may be made, and thoſe that do not, will be excluded the benefit thereof.

SARAH WILLIAMSON, Adminiſtratrix.

N. B. All debts due to the above eſtate are forbid being paid to any perſon but the ſaid Sarah Williamſon, or Mordecai Pearſall, who only are lawfully impowered to receive the ſame. *Feb. 13, 1782.* ¶

TO BE LETT,

A LOT, in the Northern Liberties,

Containing between eight and nine acres.

Apply to ROBERT HAZLEHURST,

In Second ſtreet, between Arch and Race-ſtreets.

Red-Lion, January 6, 1782.

ALL perſons indebted to the Eſtate of MATTHIAS FENTON, deceaſed late of Benſalem, Bucks county, are deſired to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have any juſt demands againſt ſaid eſtate, will pleaſe to bring in their accounts properly atteſted, for payment.

JOSEPH FENTON, and }
‡ JOHN FENTON. } Adminiſt.

WAS found in the evening of the 5th inſt. on the great road leading from Philadelphia to Briſtol, a BUNDLE of CLOTHES. Whoever has loſt the ſame, on proving property and paying charges, may have them again, by applying to the ſubſcriber, near the eleven mile ſtone.

Feb. 11, 1789. ¶ JOSEPH ENOCH.

To be SOLD at private Sale,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, containing about 95 acres of good land, part thereof well timbered, pleaſantly ſituated in the Northern Liberties, Philadelphia county, 5 miles from Philadelphia, near Frankford, bounding on Frankford creek, and the road leading from Frankford to Germantown. There are on ſaid plantation, a good ſtone dwelling-houſe, two ſtories high, a kitchen, a large frame barn and ſtabling, a never failing ſpring of good water, with a ſtone houſe over it, and a well of water, with a pump in it, near the door, a large apple orchard of grafted fruit, and ſundry other fruit-trees, about four acres of meadow, and more may be cleared. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms and view the premiſes, by applying to the ſubſcriber, on the ſame. † ROBERT HARPER.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

WAS STOLEN out of the ſubſcriber's ſtable, on the 5th inſt. at night, A black HORSE, about 15 hands high, a natural trotter, canters well, a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, a ring bone on his off fore-foot, about ſeven years old, freſh ſhod all round. As he was a borrowed horſe, there is no other marks remembered. Whoever brings ſaid horſe to William Levering's, in Roxbury townſhip, on the Ridge road, or to Mrs. Bogart's tavern, at the Croſs-Keys, Philadelphia, or to John Brown, Baltimore, currier, ſhall receive the above reward for horſe and thief, or SIX POUNDS for the horſe, paid by JOHN BROWN, in Baltimore, or by me

WILLIAM LEVERING.

Philadelphia county, February 9, 1782. †

New-Caſtle, Feb. 4, 1782.

WAS committed to the goal of this county, on the fifth day of January laſt, a young Negroe wench, named HESTER; and confeſſeth herſelf to be the property of Elizabeth Ramſey, at or near to Octarara. Her miſtreſs or owner is requeſted to come, pay charges, and take her away within three weeks from the above date, otherwiſe ſhe will be diſcharged according to law.

‡ THOMAS CLARK, Goaler.

February, 4, 1782.

CAME to the plantation of Joſeph Turner, Eſq; in Paſſyunk townſhip, Philadelphia county, the beginning of November laſt, a light grey ſtone HORSE, about 14 hands high, natural trotter, has no brand to be ſeen, and has a ſcar on the off ſide of his rump. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, in three weeks from the date hereof, otherwiſe he will be ſold for ſame. ¶ CHRISTIAN GROVER.

Office for Sale of Real Estates.

A TWO ſtory brick MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, and two ſtory brick KITCHEN and Lot of GROUND, ſituate in Norris's-Alley; ſubject to a ground-rent of £3 7 6 per annum.

Two two-ſtory HOUSES and Lots of GROUND, ſituate in Pewter-Platter-Alley; ſubject to a ground-rent of £12 per annum.

A Lot of GROUND, on which is a well finiſhed brick kitchen, with ſufficient room left to build a front houſe; ſituate in Spruce-ſtreet.

A beautiful COUNTRY SEAT, ſituate nearly oppoſite Fairhill Meeting-houſe, containing near five acres; on which is a wooden frame dwelling-houſe, two ſtories high, two rooms on a floor, with a fine ſpring of excellent water near the ſame, and about one acre of good mowable meadow, well watered; the whole fenced in with red cedar poſts and white cedar rails; and about three miles from the city of Philadelphia.

A neat well finiſhed three ſtory brick HOUSE and two ſtory brick KITCHEN and Lot of GROUND, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Second-ſtreet, between Race and Vine-ſtreets, with the privilege of an Alley at the back end of this lot, leading into Coates's-Alley. This is a valuable ſtand for buſineſs.

A Lot of GROUND on Shackamaxon-ſtreet, in the Northern Liberties, about 240 feet front, and about 140 feet deep, with two buildings thereon erected, one a two ſtory brick kitchen, and the other a wooden frame, with a well of good water on the premiſes.

THREE MESSUAGES or TENEMENTS, STORES, WHARFF and Lot of GROUND, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Water-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, in the city of Philadelphia.

For further particulars and terms of ſale, apply to the ſubſcribers, at their Office in Race ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets, where they have alſo for ſale, ſeveral other valuable eſtates in the city of Philadelphia, and ſeveral beautiful country ſeats near the ſaid city, and a number of plantations, and a conſiderable quantity of excellent lands, in the different back counties. The purchaſers may reſt aſſured of having good titles to the above eſtates.

PETER THOMSON,
RICHARD ARMITT.

N. B. Several Sums of MONEY wanted on intereſt, for which good ſecurity will be given. † *Jan.* 29.

To be Sold by way of Public Vendue,

on the firſt of March next, if not ſold by private ſale before, and may be entered upon the firſt of April enſuing,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, ſituated in Edgmont townſhip, Cheſter county, 10 miles from Cheſter, and 18 from Philadelphia, containing 170 acres, 120 cleared, 18 of which is good watered meadow, and more may be made; 50 acres of which are well timbered. There is erected on the ſaid premiſes, a frame dwelling-houſe, a ſtone kitchen, a ſtone ſpring-houſe on a never-failing ſpring, about 15 perches from the door, a frame barn, ſtables, hay-houſe, and ſundry out-buildings; alſo two bearing orchards, containing about 170 trees. There is a conveniency of erecting any kind of water-works on the ſaid premiſes, as there is a large ſtream of water running through the middle of it, bounded by Ridley creek on one ſide, and by lands of Abel Green, William Ruſſel and John Holſtein, on the other ſide. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may view the premiſes and know the conditions, by applying to ABRAHAM HOOPES, on the ſaid premiſes. † January 26, 1782.

To be SOLD or LETT,

A PLANTATION, containing 275 acres of land, in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, twenty miles from the borough of Lancaſter, the ſame diſtance from Chriſtiana bridge, and four miles from Suſquehanna; there are 25 acres of excellent meadow, well watered by ſprings, and with a little expence as much more may be made, 150 acres cleared, and of good quality, 16 acres of which is new land, the reſidue of the tract well timbered. The improvements thereon are a dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables and out-houſes, a ſpring-houſe, over a never-failing ſpring of water, near the door; a fruitful young orchard, of 400 apple-trees, and a variety of peach-trees. Poſſeſſion may be had on the firſt of April next, or ſooner if required. For terms of ſale or leaſe, enquire of ROBERT ROBERTS, a few doors above the Coneſtogoe Waggon, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia. ‡ 6 w. Jan. 24.

To be SOLD at Public Vendue,

On the 25th day of *FEBRUARY* next, by the ſubſcriber, at his dwelling-houſe in Eveſham, in the county of Burlington,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, containing 188 acres, 27 acres whereof is good meadow, and more may be made; there are 68 acres of the upland cleared, and the remainder well timbered, with a good frame houſe and log kitchen, a good barn and cow-houſe, and a well of good water at the door; there is alſo on the premiſes, a good bearing orchard, and a number of pear and cherry-trees, a ſtream of water that never fails runs through the whole plantation; part of the upland is good wheat land, and the whole good for rye, indian corn and paſture; the ſaid plantation is about 20 miles from Philadelphia, 13 miles from Burlington, ſix miles from Mount-Holly, and one mile from a good griſt-mill.

Alſo will be SOLD at the time and place aforeſaid, Three Lots of LAND, lying on Little-Egg-Harbour river, about two miles below the Forks of Little-Egg-Harbour; likewiſe two waggons, ploughs, harrows, and other farming utenſils, two ſtacks of good hay, horſes and cattle, a feather bed and bedding, with ſundry other houſhold furniture. The conditions will be made known at the time and place of ſale, by

¶ ISRAEL GARWOOD.

Reading, December 17, 1781.

ALL perſons having any demands againſt the Eſtate of ADAM WITMAN, Eſq; late of Reading, deceaſed, are deſired to bring them in for ſettlement; and all thoſe indebted to the ſame, either by bond, note or otherwiſe, are requeſted to make payment on or before the firſt day of March next.

CATHERINE WITMAN, Executrix,
¶ JOSEPH HEISTER, Executor.

To be SOLD by the ſubſcribers,

Living in Philadelphia, the following

Plantations and Tracts of Land, viz.

ONE PLANTATION, near Potter's-Town, in the county of Hunterdon, in the State of New-Jerſey, containing about 420 acres of very good land for wheat and other grain, or graſs; now occupied by, and rented to Joſeph Everett; whereon are, a dwelling-houſe, a large barn, an apple orchard, and other fruit trees, &c. with a ſuitable quantity of ſaid land cleared, and the remainder well timbered.

One other PLANTATION, adjoining the above, and Potter's-Town, containing about 183 acres, the greateſt part of which is cleared, with a ſufficient quantity of woodland remaining, an apple orchard, &c. Both the above places lay on a great public road.

One other PLANTATION, near the above, now rented, and in the poſſeſſion of Chriſtopher Teets, containing about 223 acres, on which are, a log dwelling-houſe, barn, orchard, meadow, &c. and a ſufficient quantity of woodland, well timbered.

One other PLANTATION, within two or three miles of Pitts-Town, in the county aforeſaid, containing about 261 acres, with meadow and other improvements thereon; now under rent.

One other PLACE, near the laſt deſcribed, containing 68 acres and an half, with ſome improvements thereon, and under rent. All the above may be entered on the 2d day of April next enſuing.

Alſo three LOTS (No. 3, 4 and 11) of excellent bottom land, capable of making the fineſt meadow, lying in the Great Swamp, near Morriſtown, in Morris county, and State aforeſaid, each lot containing 98 acres. Theſe may be entered on at any time.

All the above deſcribed plantations and tracts of land are ſituated in a fine healthy thick ſettled part of the country, and have every advantage of mills, ſtores, markets, and good neighbourhood, &c. &c. and are to be ſold at private ſale; but if they, or any of them, ſhould not be diſpoſed of by the 12th day of March next enſuing, then they will be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on or near the premiſes, on ſaid 12th day of ſaid month of March.

Alſo one other Tract of LAND, in the county of Suſſex, in ſaid State of New-Jerſey, near Hacket's-Town, containing upwards of 300 acres of unimproved land, and will be ſold very cheap.

One Lot of extraordinary rich LAND, fit for the ſcythe, in or very near the city of Perth Amboy, containing about 8 acres, which produces the beſt of graſs and hay.

Two Tracts of LAND, nearly adjoining each other, in the townſhip of Plumſted, in the county of Bucks, and State of Pennſylvania, containing about 49 acres.

Alſo another Tract of exceeding good unimproved LAND, called MANHEIM, in the townſhip of Muncy, in the county of Northumberland, in Pennſylvania, on Muncy creek, within 20 or 30 miles of the town of Sunbury, containing about 300 acres.

The purchaſers, paying one-third of the money down, may have a reaſonable length of time to pay the remainder, with intereſt, by giving ſecurity if required.

For all which, indiſputable titles will be given, by

PETER and ISAAC WIKOFF.

Philadelphia, January 26, 1782.

TO BE SOLD,

THE real eſtate of Mr. George Gilleſpie, late of Briſtol townſhip, in the county Bucks, deceaſed, the following FARMS, viz. one ſituated on the banks of Delaware, midway betwixt the mouth of Neſhaminy creek and Briſtol, containing 120 acres of land, 40 acres of which is banked meadow, partly improved, and ſuppoſed to be as good as any on the river, 9 acres of woodland, the remainder fit for plough or paſture; the dwelling houſe and out buildings are all new and well finiſhed; the houſe has a genteel appearance, with a piazza 52 feet in front, commanding an extenſive and beautiful proſpect of the river, the city of Burlington, and borough of Briſtol, from the two laſt diſtant about two miles, from the city of Philadelphia 18, and the poſt road one mile. There is a large good garden, with a fine ſpring of water in it, a young bearing orchard of the beſt grafted fruit, ſuch as cherries, peaches, plumbs, pears and apples. For fiſhing and fowling, this place is perhaps equal to any and ſuperior to moſt on the river; is capable of great improvements, and convenient for a farm and gentleman's ſeat.

Alſo a FARM in Hunterdon county, Weſt Jerſey, about two miles from Robinſon's ferry, on the old York road, containing 80 acres of good land, in a thick ſettled part of the country; it has a ſtone dwelling-houſe, barn, &c. with ſufficiency of meadow, all in good fence.

The time of payment will be made convenient to the purchaſers, on giving ſecurity if required. For further particulars, apply to Mrs. Gilleſpie, on the firſt mentioned farm, John Lawrence in Burlington, or John Clifford in Philadelphia.

ELIZ. GILLESPIE,
JOHN LAWRENCE, } Execut.
Jan. 12, 1782. JOHN CLIFFORD,

N. B. If not ſold by the firſt of March next, the above premiſes will be advertiſed for ſale by public vendue. ¶

To be SOLD by the ſubſcribers,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, late belonging to William Lawrence, of Haverford townſhip, Cheſter county, deceaſed, containing 200 acres or thereabouts, bounding on Darby creek, and near ſeveral Griſt and ſaw-mills, diſtant from Philadelphia 10 miles; being pleaſantly ſituated, and conveniently improved, with a good ſtone dwelling-houſe, two ſtories high, and a cellar under it; one other joining, part wood and part ſtone, and a cellar under, with a good ſtone kitchen, a ſpring with a houſe over it near the door, a good large barn, hay-houſe, ſtable, cow and ſheep-houſe, two orchards, one being grafted fruit, about 15 acres of meadow, chiefly watered, and more may be made and conveniently watered with a conſtant ſtream; near two-thirds cleared, the remainder extraordinary well timbered, abounding with walnut, &c. alſo two log dwelling-houſes erected on the ſame, and ſupplied with meadowing and paſture-ground ſuitable. The whole now in the tenure of William Free and others. For terms of ſale, apply to

HENRY LAWRENCE, and } Executors.
‡ 2 mo. JACOB JONES, }

THE preſent Proprietors of the real eſtate formerly belonging to Curtis Lewis, in Cheſter county, are requeſted to obſerve, that a meeting of the company is appointed on the 19th day of February next, at the houſe of George Graham, on the premiſes, where it is expected all perſons intereſted in ſaid eſtate will attend, either perſonally or by repreſentation, as the diviſion or ſale of the ſame will then come under conſideration, and be determined by a majority of the members preſent.

A meeting of the preſent and former Truſtees of the company is likewiſe propoſed, at ſaid place, on the preceding day, being the 18th of February, in order to ſettle and adjuſt the company accounts; where all who are indebted to or have demands againſt them, are requeſted to attend with their accounts for ſettlement. ¶

Goſhen townſhip, Cheſter county, Jan. 17. 1782.

THESE are to forewarn all perſons from truſting, or having any dealings upon my account, with my Wife MARY, as ſhe has been guilty of ſtealing ſeveral times; and to avoid trouble, I take this method of informing the public, that I do not intend to have any union with her hereafter. ‡ AQUILA JONES.

If Thomas Carr, ſon of Patrick Carr,

be living, he is requeſted to come and enjoy his father's eſtate, left him by will; or if any of his friends ſhould know of his death, they are deſired to acquaint his ſiſters Mary and Elizabeth Carr, that they may have the ſaid eſtate adjuſted, in concert with ¶

THOMAS PENINTON, Acting Executor.

N. B. If the Legatees do not appear before the 1ſt day of March next, the place will be rented out by ſaid Peninton, for the uſe of the owners.

January 13, 1782.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 5th day of March next enſuing,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION

or TRACT of LAND, containing 170 acres, with the uſual allowances, ſituate in Sadſbury townſhip, Cheſter county; there are on the premiſes 90 acres of clear land, the reſt well timbered, two good dwelling-houſes, a good ſtone ſpring-houſe convenient to both, a pump of good water cloſe by the door of one of them, a good barn, and out-houſes; there are 20 acres of meadow, and more may be made; the place is handy to ſeveral houſes of worſhip. Alſo will be ſold on ſaid day, horſes, cows, ſheep and ſwine, cart, gears, plow and harrow, a new cyder mill, houſhold and kitchen furniture, and other things too tedious to mention; late the eſtate of Hugh Cowan, deceaſed. The vendue to begin at 10 o'clock, where attendance will be given, and terms of ſale made known, by ¶ DAVID PARK, Executor.

Bucks county, January 17, 1782.

By virtue of ſeveral writs of Vendition Exponas to me directed, will be ſold at public vendue, on Friday, the 15th of February next, at Newtown,

A TRACT of LAND, pleaſantly ſituated on the river Delaware, near the head of Trenton Falls, in the Falls townſhip, bounded by land of John Wood, Michael Hutchinſon and others, containing about 110 acres; the ſaid tract is ſituate convenient for a ferry, well watered and timbered, improved with two tenements, orchards, meadow, &c. late the property of the above named John Wood. Alſo two other tracts, pieces or parcels of land, ſituate in Pennſbury Manor, in the townſhip aforeſaid, near the river Delaware. One of ſaid tracts, &c. is bounded by lands of John Holmes, John Right, Iſaac Pearſon and others, containing 100 acres; the other of ſaid pieces, being the one third of 149 acres, ſituate near the laſt mentioned tract, bounded by lands of Joſeph Kirkbride, Eſq; Iſaac Pearſon, Thomas Riche and others; the whole in wood land, and the ſoil good; late the property of Jacob Shallus; ſeized and taken in execution by

GEORGE WALL, Sheriff.

N. B. The ſale to begin at 10 o'clock on ſaid day. †

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On the 23d day of the ſecond month next, being the ſeventh of the week, on the premiſes,

A CERTAIN PLANTATION and tract of LAND, ſituate in Upper Makefield townſhip, in the county of Bucks, now in the tenure of Benjamin Pidcock, bounded by the river Delaware, and by lands of Peter Blaker, Joſeph Howell, and Benjamin Taylor, containing one hundred and thirty-two acres and a half, the greater part whereof is cleared. The ſoil of the arable land is good, being chiefly low land on the river, with a good proportion of meadow, a dwelling houſe, barn, and orchard. For farther particulars enquire of William Lownes, near the premiſes. *Firſt Month* 23, 1782. ¶

Philadelphia, January 17, 1782.

WHEREAS the eſtate of Samuel Shoemaker, late of the county of Philadelphia, has in due courſe of law been forfeited and ſeized to the uſe of the State, we the ſubſcribers, Agents for ſaid county, do hereby give notice, that the eſtate of the ſaid Samuel Shoemaker, within the ſaid county, conſiſting of the following Meſſuage and Lot of Ground, viz —One good two ſtory brick houſe, orchard, and other improvements, and 29 acres and an half of good land, in the Weſt Northern Liberties, bounded on Schuylkill, and by ground late of Joſeph Galloway and others, about four miles from the city, will be ſold during the natural life only of ſaid Shoemaker, on Wedneſday, the 20th of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court-houſe of ſaid county. The terms of ſale will be according to law, viz. One fourth part of the purchaſe money to be paid in ten days after ſale, or the premiſes again to revert to the State, and the bidder liable to forfeit the ſaid one fourth part of the purchaſe money; the remainder to be paid in one month after ſale, and on failure thereof the premiſes, in like manner, to revert to the State, and the money paid to be forfeited; and on a certificate being produced from the Agents, or either of them, of full payment of the purchaſe money, a deed will be given as by law directed.

GEORGE SMITH, } Agents.
WILLIAM M'MULLIN, }

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NEW-YORK, February 14.

His Majeſty's ſhip Narciſſus, Edward Edwards, Eſq; commander, arrived here on Tueſday laſt, in nine weeks from England; by her we have the following advices:

From the LONDON GAZETTE, Nov. 27.

This day, at noon, his Majeſty went in ſtate to the Houſe of Peers, and being in his royal robes ſeated on the throne, with his uſual ſolemnity, his Majeſty was pleaſed to open the ſeſſion of parliament with the following moſt gracious SPEECH.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

WHEN I laſt met you in Parliament, I acquainted you with the arduous ſituation of public affairs at that time, and I repreſented to you the objects which I had in view, and the reſolution with which I was determined to perſevere in the defence of my dominions againſt the combined power of my enemies, until ſuch a pacification could be made, as might conſiſt with the honour of my Crown and the permanent intereſt and ſecurity of my people. The war is ſtill unhappily prolonged by that reſtleſs ambition which firſt excited our enemies to commence it, and which ſtill continues to diſappoint my earneſt deſire and diligent exertions to reſtore the public tranquility; but I ſhould not anſwer the truſt committed to the Sovereign of a free people, nor make a ſuitable return to my ſubjects for their conſtant, zealous and affectionate attachment to my perſon, family and government, if I conſented to ſacrifice, either to my own deſire of peace or to their temporary eaſe and relief, thoſe eſſential rights and permanent intereſts, upon the maintenance and preſervation of which the future ſtrength and ſecurity of this country muſt ever principally depend.

The favourable appearance of our affairs in the Eaſt-Indies, and the ſafe and proſperous arrival of the numerous commercial fleets of my kingdoms, muſt have given you ſatisfaction; but in the courſe of this year, my aſſiduous endeavours to guard the extenſive dominions of my Crown have not been attended with ſucceſs equal to the juſtice and uprightneſs of my views; and it is with great concern that I inform you, that the events of war have been very unfortunate to my arms in Virginia, having ended in the loſs of my forces in that Province.

No endeavours have been wanting on my part to extinguiſh that ſpirit of rebellion, which our enemies have found means to foment and maintain in the Colonies, and to reſtore to my deluded ſubjects in America that happy and proſperous condition which they formerly derived from a due obedience to the laws; but the late misfortune in that quarter calls loudly for your firm concurrence and aſſiſtance to fruſtrate the deſigns of our enemies, equally prejudicial to the real intereſts of America, and to thoſe of Great-Britain.

In the laſt ſeſſion you made a conſiderable progreſs in your enquiries into the ſtate and condition of our dominions and revenues in the Eaſt-Indies: You will, I am perſuaded, reſume the proſecution of that important deliberation with the ſame ſpirit and temper in which it was begun, and proceed with the ſame attention and anxiety to conſider how thoſe remote provinces may be held and governed with the greateſt ſecurity and advantage to this country, and by what means the happineſs of the native inhabitants may be moſt promoted.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Commons,

I will order the eſtimates for the enſuing year to be laid before you. I rely on your wiſdom and public ſpirit for ſuch ſupplies as the circumſtances of our affairs ſhall be found to require. Among the many ill conſequences which attend the continuation of the preſent war, I moſt ſincerely regret the additional burthens which it muſt unavoidably bring upon my faithful ſubjects.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

In the proſecution of this great and important conteſt in which we are engaged, I retain a firm confidence in the protection of Divine Providence, and a perfect conviction of the juſtice of my cauſe, and I have no doubt but that, by the concurrence and ſupport of my parliament, by the valour of my fleets and armies, and by a vigorous, animated and united exertion of the faculties and reſources of my people, I ſhall be enabled to reſtore the bleſſing of a ſafe and honourable peace to all my dominions.

WHITEHALL, November 27.

Extract of a letter from Sir Henry Clinton to the Right Hon. Lord George Germaine, one of his Majeſty's principal Secretaries of State, dated on board the London, off Cheſapeake, October 29, 1781; by Captain Melcombe, of his Majeſty's ſloop the Rattleſnake, who arrived in town on Sunday night laſt.

AGREEABLE to the information which I had the honour to give your Lordſhip in my laſt diſpatch, the fleet under the command of Rear-Admiral Greaves ſailed from Sandy-Hook on the 16th inſtant, and arrived off Cape Charles the 24th, when we had the mortification to hear that Lord Cornwallis had propoſed terms of capitulation to the enemy on the 17th. This intelligence was brought us by the pilot of the Charon, and ſome other perſons who came off from the ſhore, and ſaid they had made their eſcape from York on the 18th, and had not heard any firing there ſince the day before. The Nymph frigate alſo arriving the next day from New-York, brought me a letter from his Lordſhip dated the 15th, the deſponding tenor of which gives me the moſt alarming apprehenſions of its truth. Since then we have been plying off the Capes with variable and hard gales of wind to the preſent hour, without being able to procure any further information, except from two men taken in a canoe, whoſe report exactly correſponds with the former.

Comparing, therefore, the intelligence given by theſe people, and ſeveral others ſince come in, with the purport of Lord Cornwallis's letter, a copy of which I have the honour to incloſe for your Lordſhip's information, we cannot entertain the leaſt doubt of his Lordſhip's having capitulated, and that we are unfortunately too late to relieve him; which being the only object of the expedition, the Admiral has determined upon returning with his fleet to Sandy-Hook.

I beg leave to mention to your Lordſhip, that the army is under the greateſt obligations to the Admirals, the Captains, and the officers of the King's ſhips, for the chearfulneſs with which they ſubmitted to many and great inconveniencies for our accommodation on this ſervice.

Copy of a letter from the Earl Cornwallis to his Excellency Sir Henry Clinton, dated York-Town, Virginia, Oct. 15.

SIR,

LAST evening the enemy carried my two advanced redoubts on the left by ſtorm, and during the night have included them in their ſecond parallel, which they are at preſent buſy in perfecting.

My ſituation now becomes very critical. We dare not ſhew a gun to their old batteries, and I expect their new ones will be open to-morrow morning. Experience has ſhewn that our freſh earthen works do not reſiſt their powerful artillery, ſo that we ſhall ſoon be expoſed to an aſſault in ruined works, in a bad poſition, and with weakened numbers.

The ſafety of the place is therefore ſo precarious, that I cannot recommend that the fleet and army ſhould run great riſque in endeavouring to ſave us. I have the honour to be, with great reſpect, Sir, &c.

(Signed) CORNWALLIS.

His Excel. Sir Henry Clinton, K. B.

Admiralty-Office, November 27, 1781.

Captain Melcombe, of his Majeſty's ſloop the Rattleſnake, arrived at this office late on Sunday night from America, with diſpatches from Rear-Admiral Graves to Mr. Stephens, of which the following is an extract:

London, at Sea, October 29, 1781.

In my laſt letter, by the Liverly, Capt. Manly, I deſired you to acquaint the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty of my having paſſed the bar of New-York with the Britiſh fleet, with 7000 of the army embarked, to go to the relief of Earl Cornwallis at York, in the Cheſapeak.

The fleet accordingly ſailed the moment the troops were put on board, and proceeded the ſame day (the 19th) for the Cheſapeak.

The 24th we received intelligence from a black man, who was pilot of his Majeſty's ſhip Charon, a white man who belonged to the Quarter-Maſter General's department, and another black man, who had made their eſcape together from York, that Lord Cornwallis had capitulated on the 18th inſtant, the day before the fleet ſailed from Sandy-Hook.

The 25th one of our boats brought off ſome people from the ſhore near Cape Charles, who gave the ſame report of the capitulation.

The 26th his Majeſty's ſhip La Nymphe joined us from New-York, and brought diſpatches from Lord Cornwallis, dated the 15th, a copy of which is incloſed, and leaves little room to queſtion the truth of the other intelligence. The three people being ſtill on board and queſtioned again, and known for what they reported themſelves to be by ſeveral perſons, helped ſtill to coroborate: I therefore determined to detach the Rattleſnake for Europe to give the earlieſt information to their Lordſhips, that Government may be prepared to receive the particulars.

I ſhould have been happy to have tried every poſſible means to effect a relief, could we have arrived in time; that proſpect being at an end, I determined to leave this ſtation, and return to New-York.

N. B. The copy of Lord Cornwallis's letter, above referred to, is the ſame as that printed in the foregoing diſpatches from Sir Henry Clinton.

LONDON, December 3.

Wedneſday morning the Dutch Admiral Byland ſailed through the Channel, with four men of war and two frigates, and as Commodore Stewart is ſailed to meet him, it is highly probable an action will enſue.

Eight ſail of ſhips are arrived at Dartmouth, from Newfoundland, and nine at Poole.

The Baltic fleet, of 30 ſail, arrived ſafe in Yarmouth Roads on the 24th of November; 20 more were alſo ſafe arrived at Hull.

The following is his Majeſty's anſwer to the Addreſs from the Houſe of Lords on the King's Speech;

My Lords,

I thank you for this very dutiful and affectionate addreſs. The aſſurances of your chearful concurrence and ſupport, in the proſecution of the great and important conteſt in which we are engaged, gives me the higheſt ſatisfaction, and muſt have the moſt ſalutary effects. It ſhall be my conſtant endeavour to make the beſt uſe of this ſupport for the attainment of the ſole end which I have ever in view, a ſafe and honourable peace.

The foreign mails bring an account of the death of Compte de Maurepas, Miniſter of France, at 81 years of age; and of the Emperor's acceſſion to the Armed Neutrality.

In the Houſe of Lords, the Addreſs to his Majeſty's ſpeech was moved by Lord Grantham, it was ſeconded by Lord Walſingham, Lord Shelburne propoſed an amendment, was ſeconded by his Grace of Richmond, to whom Lord Denbigh replied. The Duke of Dorſet, and Lord Stormont, oppoſed the amendment, which was ſupported by the Lords Derby and Abingdon; the Houſe divided, and Lord Southampton's original motion without amendment was carried by 71 againſt 31. The Duke of Richmond, Marquis of Rockingham, and Earl Fitzwilliam, afterwards entered their proteſts againſt the propoſed addreſs.

In the Commons, Mr. Percival moved an addreſs to the Throne, and Mr. Orde ſeconded him; the Hon. Mr. Fox propoſed an amendment, ſimilar to that in the Houſe of Lords, but the addreſs was carried without the amendment, by 218 againſt 129; and the next day in the report of the Committee to form the addreſs, there appeared for the addreſs without amendment, 131.—Againſt it, 53.—Majority, 76.

From the Supplement to the French Gazette of Nov. 20.

VERSAILLES, November 19.

THE Duke de Lauzun, Colonel of the legion of his name, and the Sieur Dupleſſis Paſeau, Captain of a ſhip, arrived here this day, charged with diſpatches to the King, with an account of a naval engagement on the 5th of September, and to inform his Majeſty that the army of Lord Cornwallis, conſiſting of 6000 men, which had retired and entrenched themſelves in York-Town, on the river of that name, in Virginia, capitulated on the 19th of October laſt, and ſurrendered priſoners of war.

Subſtance of a Journal of the operations of a French corps, under the command of Count de Rochambeau, Lieutenant-General of the King's Armies, ſince the 25th of Auguſt laſt.

ON the 14th of September, General Waſhington, myſelf, and the Chevalier de Chattelleux, arrived at Williamſburgh, where we found the Marquis de la Fayette in conjunction with the Count de St. Simon, who had taken an excellent poſition, waiting for us.

Lord Cornwallis was employed in entrenching himſelf at York and Glouceſter, barring the river of York with ſome of his ſhips, and others ſunk in the channel. It is computed that his corps of troops, regulars, and ſailors from the diſarmed ſhips, amounted to about 5 or 6000 men.

After all the moſt inquieting news we had received in the route, of the appearance of the enemy's fleet, the departure of that of Count de Graſſe, of an engagement on the 5th of September, the appearance of two Engliſh frigates in the Bay, we at length received, in the night of the 14th, by a letter from the Count de Graſſe, a circumſtantial account of the following facts:—

Admiral Hood had joined on the 28th of Auguſt Admiral Graves's ſquadron before New-York. They both ſailed the 31ſt to Cheſapeak-Bay, at the inſtant our movement by land towards Philadelphia had been diſcovered.

The Engliſh ſquadron, conſiſting of 20 ſhips, arrived the 5th at Cape-Charles, intending to get the ſtart of Count de Graſſe. The latter then having 1500 men in his chaloups, which had debarked the troops of Count de St. Simon, and were not yet returned, without heſitation, cut his cables, and went to engage the enemy with 24 ſhips, leaving the reſt to blockade Lord Cornwallis in the rivers York and James. Admiral Graves bore to the windward, and the van-guard of Count de Graſſe, under the orders of the Sieur de Bougainville, came up with the rear of the Engliſh, which was roughly handled.

The Count de Graſſe having purſued ſome time, returned the 11th into the Bay, where he found the ſquadron of Count de Barras, which ſailed the 25th of Auguſt from Newport, with ten tranſports, having on board our ſiege artillery, and entered the Bay on the 10th of September in good condition.

The two Engliſh frigates being between the two ſquadrons, were taken.

Immediately the ten tranſports of the Count de Barras, the frigates, and the prizes of Count de Graſſe, were diſpatched to carry our troops to Annapolis, under the orders of the Sieur de Villebrune, commander of the Romulus, who, with the Baron de Viomenil, uſed ſuch expedition, that they arrived on the 25th in Williamſburgh Creek, where they diſembarked the army on the 26th and 27th.

On the 20th, the allied army marched from Williamſburgh at break of day for York-Town, and the French corps of 7000 men began the inveſtment from the head of York River to the morais near Colonel Nelſon's houſe, taking advantage of the woods, creeks, &c. in ſuch a manner as to block up the enemy within piſtol ſhot of their works. The three French brigades marked out the grounds, and encamped ſecurely from the enemy's cannon. The Baron de Viomenil commanded the grenadiers and chaſſeurs of the army as the van-guard.

On the 29th the American army paſſed the morais, and the inveſtment of York-Town became complete, and was quite blocked up.

The infantry of Lauzun being debarked on the 23d, marched under the Duke de Lauzun to join their cavalry, which had marched by land into Glouceſter county, under Brigadier General Wieden, who commanded there a body of 1200 American militia. The whole legion was joined there on the 28th, the day of the inveſtment of York-Town.

On the night between the 29th and 30th, the enemy, fearing to be inſulted in the confined poſition which they had fortified, abandoned all their out-works.

We employed the 30th in lodging ourſelves in the abandoned works, which enabled us to block up the enemy in a circle of very little extent, and gave us great advantages.

The ſame day the tranſports, with the artillery for the ſiege, came down to Trubello Landing, ſeven miles from hence, when we ſet about diſembarking it.

On the 3d of October, the Sieur de Choiſy marched to block up Glouceſter, and take a poſition at three miles diſtance from that place.

The corps of the Sieur de Choiſy was compoſed of the legion of Lauzun, of his infantry drafted from the ſhips, and of 1200 American militia under Brigadier General Wieden.

Tarleton was with ſix hundred men in this poſt, four hundred of which were horſe, and two hundred infantry. The Duke de Lauzun attacked him ſo vigorouſly, that, notwithſtanding the fire of his artillery, he threw them into diſorder, wounded Tarleton, and forced the detachment to return to Glouceſter, with the loſs of fifty men. The Sieur Billy, Dillon, and Dutre, ſecond Captain, were wounded; three Huſſars were killed, and eleven wounded.

The entrenchments were opened in two attacks, above and below York River, in the night between the 6th and 7th of October, and different engagements took place till the 17th, when the enemy began to come to a parley.

The capitulation was ſigned on the 19th in the morning, by which Lord Cornwallis and his whole army were made priſoners of war. The American and French troops took poſſeſſion of the redoubts at noon.

The garriſon of York-Town filed off at two o'clock, by beat of drum, with their arms, which were then piled up, with 20 pair of colours. The ſame took place at Glouceſter.

The companies of grenadiers of Bourbonnois and the Americans are in the redoubts, and the enemy's troops will evacuate it to-morrow, and be conducted to the interior parts of the country.

The Viſcount de Noailles and Colonel Laurens have drawn up the articles of capitulation, in conjunction with two ſuperior officers of Lord Cornwallis's army.

It is ſuppoſed there are about 6000 or 7000 priſoners, and about 170 pieces of cannon taken.

NEW-YORK, *February 14.*

The Narciſſus ſailed from Plymouth on the eighth of December laſt, at which time ten ſail of the line, ſeveral of which were three deckers, were ready to ſail from Portſmouth for the Weſt-Indies, under the command of Sir George Brydges Rodney, K. B.

When Lord Southampton made a motion in the Houſe of Peers on Tueſday, the 27th of November laſt, his Lordſhip commented on the ſpeech, and warmly commended the ſentiments it contained. To quit the conteſt for our

dominions in America, he ſaid, would be to deſtroy the very being of this country. A principal part of our trade was ſo connected in that part of the world, that commerce would feel a fatal blow in the independence of the rebels; and as every noble Lord muſt confeſs, that the ſafety and ſupremacy of England depended on her naval ſtrength, ſo muſt they acknowledge that a league and covenant, in its full effect, between America and France, would eſſentially weaken our navy, by the want of that ſupply of ſtores which the country has long received from her colonies.

The following paragraph appears in the Sherborne Mercury, of December 3:—Government are in greater uneaſineſs as to the effects of the tenth article in Lord Cornwallis's capitulation, than from any other part of that moſt important event. The brave, but unfortunate General, by that clauſe, agrees to relinquiſh the Americans to the fate the enemy may think proper to impoſe upon them.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On the firſt day of March next,

A PLANTATION, ſituate in Montgomery townſhip, Philadelphia county, three miles from the Spring-houſe tavern, and 21 from Philadelphia, formerly the eſtate of Joſeph Naylor, deceaſed; containing about 200 acres. On the premiſes are two dwelling-houſes, the one is part ſtone and part frame, with five rooms on a floor, a well of good water, with a pump in it, at the door, a ſtone ſpring-houſe, on a good ſpring, a log barn, with ſtables at each end, and other large out houſes; the other a log houſe, with a good ſpring by it, two large bearing orchards of good fruit, one near each houſe, about 12 acres of meadow, part may be watered and more made, ſufficiency of timber on ſaid premiſes: It may be divided or ſold together, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. The terms will be made known at the place of ſale or before, by applying to JOSEPH NAYLOR or JOHN TRUMP, living in Upper-Dublin townſhip, county aforeſaid.

N. B. There is a free ſchool about one mile and an half from ſaid premiſes, that is to be free for ever for the uſe of ſaid townſhip only. ¶ *February* 11, 1782.

To be ſold at public vendue, on the premiſes, the 14th day of March next, between the hours of ten and three o'clock, unleſs ſooner diſpoſed of at private ſale,

A valuable Tract of LAND,

CONTAINING about 226 acres, ſituated on Bohemia Manor, in Cecil county, Maryland, being a moiety of that tract of land, late the property of Col. Peter Bayard, deceaſed; diſtant from Cecil Court-houſe five miles, one mile from Bohemia church, and the ſame diſtance from a landing. About one half of ſaid plantation is cleared, and the other half excellently well timbered, and ſome part may, with little expence, be made good meadow. No part of it is now in grain. The premiſes will be immediately delivered up to the purchaſer, with an indiſputable title. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to Mr. AUGUSTIN BOYER, at the Head of Bohemia, or to Col. JOHN BAYARD, in Philadelphia.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On Monday, the 11th of March next, on the premiſes,

A VERY valuable PLANTATION, in the townſhip of Byberry, and county of Philadelphia, 13 miles and a half from the city, containing 112 acres; there are about 20 acres of woodland well timbered, and near the ſame quantity of excellent good meadow, through which there runs a beautiful never-failing ſtream of water; the plough-land lies level, and very convenient for working, is clear of traſh, has had a large quantity of lime lately put on it, and is in every reſpect in good order; the fields are properly divided, under good fences, and all watered. This land has the character, in its neighbourhood, with reſpect to the natural goodneſs of the ſoil, of being equal for grain or paſture to any land in the county. There are on ſaid place a good brick dwelling-houſe, two ſtories high, and four good chambers above, a large kitchen, a good dry cellar, a new frame waſh houſe over an excellent well of water, a ſmoke-houſe above, and a good room adjoining it, an indifferent houſe over a never-failing ſpring before the door, a large barn, garner, ſtables for horſes and cows, a waggon-houſe, a good new poultry-houſe, &c. an old orchard, of good fruit, and a ſmall young one of grafted ditto, of the beſt kinds. The ſituation of this place is very convenient, and ſufficiently retired to make it agreeable, being about two miles from Briſtol road, and the ſame diſtance from the road leading from Philadelphia to Newtown, about two miles and a half from an excellent landing on Delaware. The roads about it, and to the city, are very pleaſant and level. In ſhort, it poſſeſſes every advantage that any perſon could wiſh to derive from a good neighbourhood. A view of the premiſes will give a proper idea of its value, and the moſt ſubſtantial recommendation that can be had. Any perſon in this city that would deſire to inform themſelves reſpecting the above plantation, may apply to Mr. ABEL JAMES. The conditions will be made known by the ſubſcriber. The ſale to begin at ten o'clock. ENOCH EDWARDS.

N. B. If the weather ſhould be very unfavourable, the ſale will be poſtponed until the next fair day. ¶

Lower Merion, January 28, 1782.

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On the 28th of February next,

A SMALL TRACT of LAND, in Merion aforeſaid, containing 50 acres of land, being part of the eſtate of the late Edward Roberts, deceaſed, whereon Ambroſe Emery now dwelleth; ſaid 50 acres will be ſo laid off as to take in part of the meadow now made, and more may be made, and the whole watered by a conſtant ſtream running through ſaid tract, where there is a good conveniency for a tan-yard, &c. ſufficient proportion of well timbered woodland, all the buildings, with part of the orchard (in which are ſeveral pear trees of the beſt kind of fruit) will be laid off with the ſaid premiſes; the ſituation is high and healthy, convenient to ſundry places of worſhip and ſeveral grift-mills, 10 miles from Philadelphia, and one from the Lancaſter road. Any perſon inclining to view the premiſes before the day of ſale, by applying to the ſubſcribers, living near the ſame, will be ſhewn the tract. The conditions of ſale will be made known at the vendue, and attendance given, by

OWEN ROBERTS, and)
JOHN ROBERTS,) Executors.

N. B. The ſale to begin at one o'clock. ¶

TO be ſold by public vendue, on the 25th of February inſtant, a valuable PLANTATION, on Durham road, in Plumſted townſhip, Bucks county, containing 70 acres, 20 whereof is woodland, ten acres of meadow, a good bearing orchard, with a variety of grafted fruit, alſo peach and cherry-trees; a two ſtory ſtone houſe, with two rooms on a floor, and a large ſtone ſhoemaker and currier's ſhop adjoining; a well of never-failing water near the door, with a pump in it; a tan-yard with 20 vatts, and a pump in it, alſo a ſpring near it, with other appurtenances. Likewiſe 100 acres, chiefly woodland, with a log dwelling-houſe, by the ſaid road, a mile from the above premiſes, which will be ſold in lots of 20 or 30 acres each. Conditions to be made known at the time of ſale.

¶ BENJAMIN FELL.

To be Sold by way of Public Vendue,

on the firſt of March next, if not ſold by private ſale before, and may be entered upon the firſt of April enſuing,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, ſituated in Edgmont townſhip, Cheſter county, 10 miles from Cheſter, and 18 from Philadelphia, containing 170 acres, 120 cleared, 18 of which is good watered meadow, and more may be made; 50 acres of which are well timbered. There is erected on the ſaid premiſes, a frame dwelling-houſe, a ſtone kitchen, a ſtone ſpring-houſe on a never-failing ſpring, about 15 perches from the door, a frame barn, ſtables, hay-houſe, and ſundry out-buildings; alſo two bearing orchards, containing about 170 trees. There is a conveniency of erecting any kind of water-works on the ſaid premiſes, as there is a large ſtream of water running through the middle of it, bounded by Ridley creek on one ſide, and by lands of Abel Green, William Ruſſel and John Holſtein, on the other ſide. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may view the premiſes and know the conditions, by applying to ABRAHAM HOOPES, on the ſaid premiſes. † January 26, 1782.

To be SOLD at Public Vendue,

On the 25th day of *FEBRUARY* next, by the ſubſcriber, at his dwelling-houſe in Eveſham, in the county of Burlington,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, containing 188 acres, 27 acres whereof is good meadow, and more may be made; there are 68 acres of the upland cleared, and the remainder well timbered, with a good frame houſe and log kitchen, a good barn and cow-houſe, and a well of good water at the door; there is alſo on the premiſes, a good bearing orchard, and a number of pear and cherry-trees, a ſtream of water that never fails runs through the whole plantation; part of the upland is good wheat land, and the whole good for rye, indian corn and paſture; the ſaid plantation is about 20 miles from Philadelphia, 13 miles from Burlington, ſix miles from Mount-Holly, and one mile from a good griſt-mill.

Alſo will be SOLD at the time and place aforeſaid, Three Lots of LAND, lying on Little-Egg-Harbour river, about two miles below the Forks of Little-Egg-Harbour; likewiſe two waggons, ploughs, harrows, and other farming utenſils, two ſtacks of good hay, horſes and cattle, a feather bed and bedding, with ſundry other houſhold furniture. The conditions will be made known at the time and place of ſale, by

¶ ISRAEL GARWOOD.

To be SOLD by the ſubſcribers,

Living in Philadelphia, the following

Plantations and Tracts of Land, viz.

ONE PLANTATION, near Potter's-Town, in the county of Hunterdon, in the State of New-Jerſey, containing about 420 acres of very good land for wheat and other grain, or graſs; now occupied by, and rented to Joſeph Everett; whereon are, a dwelling-houſe, a large barn, an apple orchard, and other fruit trees, &c. with a ſuitable quantity of ſaid land cleared, and the remainder well timbered.

One other PLANTATION, adjoining the above and Potter's-Town, containing about 183 acres, the greateſt part of which is cleared, with a ſufficient quantity of woodland remaining, an apple orchard, &c. Both the above places lay on a great public road.

One other PLANTATION, near the above, now rented, and in the poſſeſſion of Chriſtopher Teets, containing about 223 acres, on which are, a log dwelling-houſe, barn, orchard, meadow, &c. and a ſufficient quantity of woodland, well timbered.

One other PLANTATION, within two or three miles of Pitts-Town, in the county aforeſaid, containing about 261 acres, with meadow and other improvements thereon; now under rent.

One other PLACE, near the laſt deſcribed, containing 68 acres and an half, with ſome improvements thereon, and under rent. All the above may be entered on the 2d day of April next enſuing.

Alſo three LOTS (No. 3, 4 and 11) of excellent bottom land, capable of making the fineſt meadow, lying in the Great Swamp, near Morriſtown, in Morris county, and State aforeſaid, each lot containing 98 acres. Theſe may be entered on at any time.

All the above deſcribed plantations and tracts of land are ſituated in a fine healthy thick ſettled part of the country, and have every advantage of mills, ſtores, markets, and good neighbourhood, &c. &c. and are to be ſold at private ſale; but if they, or any of them, ſhould not be diſpoſed of by the 12th day of March next enſuing, then they will be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on or near the premiſes, on ſaid 12th day of ſaid month of March.

Alſo one other Tract of LAND, in the county of Suſſex, in ſaid State of New-Jerſey, near Hacket's-Town, containing upwards of 300 acres of unimproved land, and will be ſold very cheap.

One Lot of extraordinary rich LAND, fit for the ſcythe, near or very near the city of Perth-Amboy, containing about 8 acres, which produces the beſt of graſs and hay.

Two Tracts of LAND, nearly adjoining each other, in the townſhip of Plumſted, in the county of Bucks, and State of Pennſylvania, containing about 49 acres.

Alſo another Tract of exceeding good unimproved LAND, called MANHEIM, in the townſhip of Muncy, in the county of Northumberland, in Pennſylvania, on Muncy creek, within 20 or 30 miles of the town of Sunbury, containing about 300 acres.

The purchaſers, paying one-third of the money down, may have a reaſonable length of time to pay the remainder, with intereſt, by giving ſecurity if required.

For all which, indiſputable titles will be given, by

PETER and ISAAC WIKOFF.

Office for Sale of Real Eſtates.

A TWO ſtory brick MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, and two ſtory brick KITCHEN and Lot of GROUND, ſituate in Norris's-Alley; ſubject to a ground-rent of £3 7 6 per annum.

Two two-ſtory HOUSES and Lots of GROUND, ſituate in Pewter-Platter-Alley, ſubject to a ground-rent of £12 per annum.

A Lot of GROUND, on which is a well finiſhed brick kitchen, with ſufficient room left to build a front houſe; ſituate in Spruce-ſtreet.

A beautiful COUNTRY SEAT, ſituate nearly oppoſite Fairhill Meeting-houſe, containing near five acres; on which is a wooden frame dwelling-houſe, two ſtories high, two rooms on a floor, with a fine ſpring of excellent water near the ſame, and about one acre of good mowable meadow, well watered; the whole fenced in with red cedar poſts and white cedar rails; and about three miles from the city of Philadelphia.

A neat well finiſhed three ſtory brick HOUSE and two ſtory brick KITCHEN and Lot of GROUND, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Second-ſtreet, between Race and Vine-ſtreets, with the privilege of an Alley at the back end of this lot, leading into Coates's-Alley. This is a valuable ſtand for buſineſs.

A Lot of GROUND on Shackamaxon-ſtreet, in the Northern Liberties, about 240 feet front, and about 140 feet deep, with two buildings thereon erected, one a two ſtory brick kitchen, and the other a wooden frame, with a well of good water on the premiſes.

THREE MESSUAGES or TENEMENTS, STORES, WHARFF and Lot of GROUND, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Water-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, in the city of Philadelphia.

For further particulars and terms of ſale, apply to the ſubſcribers, at their Office in Race ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets, where they have alſo for ſale, ſeveral other valuable eſtates in the city of Philadelphia, and ſeveral beautiful country ſeats near the ſaid city, and a number of plantations, and a conſiderable quantity of excellent lands, in the different back counties. The purchaſers may reſt aſſured of having good titles to the above eſtates.

PETER THOMSON,
RICHARD ARMITT.

N. B. Several Sums of MONEY wanted on intereſt, for which good ſecurity will be given. † *Jan.* 29.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 5th day of March next enſuing,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION

or TRACT of LAND, containing 170 acres, with the uſual allowances, ſituate in Sadſbury townſhip, Cheſter county; there are on the premiſes 90 acres of clear land, the reſt well timbered, two good dwelling-houſes, a good ſtone ſpring-houſe convenient to both, a pump of good water cloſe by the door of one of them, a good barn, and out-houſes; there are 20 acres of meadow, and more may be made; the place is handy to ſeveral houſes of worſhip. Alſo will be ſold on ſaid day, horſes, cows, ſheep and ſwine, cart, gears, plow and harrow, a new cyder mill, houſhold and kitchen furniture, and other things too tedious to mention; late the eſtate of Hugh Cowan, deceaſed. The vendue to begin at 10 o'clock, where attendance will be given, and terms of ſale made known, by ¶ DAVID PARK, Executor.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, in Cheſter county, part in Whiteland, and part in Charleſtown townſhips, containing 417 acres, 300 of which are cleared, about 20 acres of meadow, and more may be made, the remainder woodland; there are on the premiſes two tenements, one a good two ſtory ſtone houſe, ſpring-houſe, barn and out-houſes; the other a log houſe, barn and out-houſes; there is a great plenty of lime ſtone and a lime kiln on ſaid premiſes, two miles from the White Horſe, on Lancaſter road, and 24 miles from Philadelphia. Enquire of HUGH FRAZER, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia, next door but one to the Friend's Meeting-houſe.

N. B. Said Fraizer deſires all indebted to him to pay in two months, or they may expect to be ſued without reſpect to perſons. ¶ *Feb.* 6, 1782.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the ſubſcriber, and Rebecca his wife, by their own contract and agreement, made a diviſion of their goods on the ſixth day of November laſt; and it was alſo agreed, that each pay their own debts before marriage, and for ever after; on which ſhe moved her ſhare away, and we have lived ſeparate ever ſince. Theſe are to certify, that I will pay no debts of her contracting.

February 5, 1782. ¶ EDWARD DAVIS.

Goſhen townſhip, Cheſter county, Jan. 17. 1782.

THESE are to forewarn all perſons from truſting, or having any dealings upon my account, with my Wife MARY, as ſhe has been guilty of ſtealing ſeveral times; and to avoid trouble, I take this method of informing the public, that I do not intend to have any union with her hereafter. † AQUILA JONES.

If Thomas Carr, ſon of Patrick Carr,

be living, he is requeſted to come and enjoy his father's eſtate, left him by will; or if any of his friends ſhould know of his death, they are deſired to acquaint his ſiſters Mary and Elizabeth Carr, that they may have the ſaid eſtate adjuſted, in concert with ¶

THOMAS PENINTON, Acting Executor.

N. B. If the Legatees do not appear before the 1ſt day of March next, the place will be rented out by ſaid Peninton, for the uſe of the owners.

Eaſton, January 24, 1782.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of George Taylor, Eſq; late of Eaſton, deceaſed, are once more requeſted to make immediate payment to the ſubſcribers; and all thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts by the firſt of March next, properly atteſted, in order that they may be adjuſted for payment.

ROBERT LEVERS,
ROBERT L. HOOPER, junr. } executors.
ROBERT TRAIL,

Cheſter county, Jan. 16, 1782.

ALL perſons who are indebted to the eſtate of Col. Cornelius Sheriff, late of ſaid county, deceaſed, are requeſted to pay the ſame to the ſubſcribers; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to produce them on or before the 15th day of March next, properly proved, that they may be adjuſted and paid, by

READING HOWEL, and)
¶ ALEXANDER M'CARAHER,) Adminiſtrat.